GOVERNMENT OF GUAM OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR AGANA, GUAM

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 79-29

CREATING THE COORDINATING COMMISSION FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

WHEREAS, the Governor has pledged to develop the economy of Guam to provide more jobs and personal income for our people.

WHEREAS, approaches to this development have in the past been on a fragmented basis by various government agencies and the private sector; and

WHEREAS, potential investors have on occasion been given conflicting and at times insufficient information pertaining to investment on Guam; and

WHEREAS, there is a need to bring the private sector and government together in a unified approach toward creating jobs, stimulating industry, and building our infrastructure for a better standard of living on Guam.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Paul M. Calvo, Governor of Guam, by the authority granted me by the Organic Act, do hereby order and direct the establishment of the Coordinating Commission for Economic Development. The Governor of Guam shall be the Chief Executive of the Commission and the policy of the Commission will be established under his direction. Members shall consist of the Administrator of the Guam Economic Development Authority, Executive Director of the Guam Growth Council, Director of the Department of Commerce, General Manager of the Port Authority of Guam, Executive Director of the Guam Housing and Urban Renewal Authority, and Director of the Agency for Human Resources Development.

It is hereby directed that the Commission gather and catalogue all information on Guam's economy and resources, and make that information available to interested investors.

It is hereby directed that the Commission, in addition to answering requests for information, shall vigorously recruit potential investors to our island.

It is hereby directed that all government agencies shall provide support, information, professional services, and other assistance as requested in a prompt and cooperative manner.

It is hereby directed that when any government agency receives inquiries from persons or firms interested in investing on Guam or seeking information on business opportunities on Guam, those inquiries or individuals must be immediately referred to the Coordinating Commission for Economic Development, to insure that a single, unified presentation is given.

This Executive Order underscores the Governor's commitment in providing the direction necessary to insure success in reaching our goal of providing more jobs and a better standard of living.

This Executive Order shall be effective this date. Dated at Agana, Guam, this 18th. day of December , 1979.

PAUL M. CALVO Governor of Guam

COUNTERSIGNED:

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Lieutenant Governor of Guam